

RE: Telephone Privacy Law

I appreciate this opportunity to offer my views on this subject. First I encourage you to tighten the laws on telemarketing. Further any laws that the FCC may implement should not lessen a state's current Telephone Privacy Law. From my view telemarketing is an intrusion into my home. While I realize that telemarketing is a multi billion dollar industry, I not believe that it really contributes to the GDP as there are other avenues a firm may use to sell its products.

As I resident of the state of Inidana, I have truly appreciated the law that was orchestrated by Attorney General Steve Carter. Prior to Indiana's law I had to set the telephone recorder on from 3:00 to 9:00 pm. We used to recieve on average 1 to 3 calls per night. Since the law was enacted we do not recieve any telemarketing calls. Thus improving our quality of life at home.

I therefore, ask the committee that is viewing commments and writing the proposed law to not consider any change that would lessen the Indiana's Telephone Privacy Law protections.

Thank you for condidering my remarks.

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